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SENSATIONAL RUMORS

War Situation Becoming Very Interesting.

NOTHING DEFINITE KNOWN.

Officials Are Beginning to Become Apprehensive.

THEY ARE ALSO IN IGNORANCE.

The Report That the Spanish Cape Verde Squadron Has Been Destroyed by Admiral Sampson Off the Cuban Isle Will Not Down.

Washington, May 25.—There was a lapse into sensational war rumors in Washington after a week of comparative quietude.

The rumors ranged all the way from the capture of the little Mangrove with a crew of 13 men to the reported destruction of the entire Spanish fleet by Sampson and Schley's combined forces.

They were circulated with persistence, notwithstanding their denial as soon as they could be brought to the attention of any official capable of passing judgment on their accuracy.

As the day rolled along the officials themselves became apprehensive, as was shown by the frequency with which they called for the latest newspaper bulletins.

At the close of the day, however, it was again announced in the most positive manner that the navy department had no information to warrant the report of any sort of engagement in the Windward passage.

In response to an inquiry as to where the Spanish fleet was located, Secretary Long replied that his belief was that it was still at Santiago de Cuba.

Concerning the reported capture of the Mangrove and the loss of other ships, the secretary dismissed these stories as purely conjectural and not supported by facts.

Word had come from the commander of the Mangrove since the time of the alleged capture, showing that the ship could not have been in the hands of the Spanish.

The Spaniards appear to be making ready for something more than a defensive campaign at home, or at least they are trying to create that impression by other means than news bulletins that issue almost daily from Madrid.

The navy department now has, through its own reliable sources, reports of the greatest activity in the Spanish navy yards and of the preparation for sea and for a long voyage of two of the torpedo boat destroyers.

It is given out that they are to join Cervera immediately when his squadron enters Cadiz harbor.

Possibly this statement is made with a deliberate purpose of misleading American sailors into the belief that Cervera has taken his way homeward.

Inquiries as to the whereabouts of the Oregon brought a reply to the effect that the battleship was safe. Nothing could be learned of her location.

It is probable that the telegrams said to have emanated from the vessel ready were filed at Key West, but were brought to that port on some dispatch boat from the Oregon, which is co-operating with our fleets.

The cutting of the cables at Santiago and at San Juan de Porto Rico, as reported, was a military move of the first importance.

Blanco has yet one link left of communication with the outer world, but the Spanish commander at San Juan finds himself totally in the dark as to conditions in Spain or in Cuba, while the value of that port as a place of refuge for the Spanish flying squadron is materially diminished.

It is said that the remaining cable to Santiago will be cut soon, like the others, so that if Cervera is misguided enough to have entered Santiago harbor he will be completely out of touch with his home government on the one hand and equally unable to communicate with Blanco at the other end of the island.

The Philippines expedition is now off in dead earnest. The sending of these ships will affect the Hawaiian question vitally.

Like the Charleston, the transports must stop at Hawaii to replenish their coal bunkers from the great heaps of coal that Consul General Hayward has been piling up for months past.

If the Hawaiians let us take this coal without the pretext that we are using it to make our way to our nearest home port, as is required by international law in such cases, they will stand convicted of a gross breach of

neutrality that in the eyes of the law of nations allies them to the United States in hostility to Spain.

The taking of coal by the American ships at Hawaii to make an extensive campaign against the Spanish possessions, it is believed here, will result in compelling the United States to either assume a protectorate over the islands or to annex them.

Spaniards Will Not Fight. Port au Prince, May 25.—The Matin says that Rear Admiral Osborne of the British navy, who left New York on Sunday on board a Dutch steamer, saw at Curacao a Spanish squadron composed of five cruisers and five torpedo boat destroyers or torpedo boats.

The Spanish officers are reported to have said they would not accept a battle unless with an equal number of ships, and that they would avoid encountering superior numbers. Admiral Osborne did not consider the Spanish squadron to be in any way formidable.

MAY BE GOING HOME. Movements of Spanish Fleet Seem to Be a Conundrum.

Washington, May 25.—Notwithstanding the persistent rumors in circulation to the effect that a great naval engagement has been fought in the Windward passage, resulting in the destruction of the Spanish fleet, it can be stated positively that the navy department has no information that tends in the slightest to confirm these rumors.

Unless the improbable happens there is no immediate prospect of a naval engagement of any magnitude in the opinion of the navy department officials.

The unanimity with which those best informed express this view almost warrants the conclusion that it is based upon knowledge that the hostile fleets are again far apart.

Indeed, there is no certainty that Admiral Cervera is not already bound homeward, providing he has succeeded in securing a supply of coal, for he could not make the run back to the Canaries with less than about 2,500 or 3,000 tons.

There are signs in Madrid that have been noted here seeming to warrant the supposition that there has been a complete change in the Spanish plan of conducting the war. Indications are believed to point to a relaxation if not a total abandonment of the efforts to conduct the campaign in Cuba and the West Indian waters.

The natural conclusion, if this premise is well founded, would be that the Spaniards were going to concentrate their entire energies to the defense of the Philippines, with the view of retaining them in the event peace is forced upon them by virtue of the principle of international law, which limits a victorious nation in indemnifying herself from the vanquished to the territory she actually occupies when peace is declared.

So the retreat of the Spanish squadron from the West Indies would be significant—first, in the danger it would place Dewey immediately, and, second, in the hint it would convey that the Spanish mind for the first time contemplates the possibilities of peace.

The war board, lately known as the strategy board, had a short session.

Not a Filibuster Now.

Mobile, May 25.—The Sanita, the 400-ton Cuban expedition steamer, finished loading and took on her coal. At 3 o'clock she took a pilot and dropped down the ship channel, bound probably for Tampa, but no one knows precisely her destination. There were four patriots on board, Brigadier General Rafael Rodriguez and his aides, Colonels Torres, Triste and Nunez. Four carloads of material were taken on the vessel, consisting of ammunition, guns and stores.

Rumors of an American Victory.

London, May 25.—Persistent rumors were in circulation here early to the effect that a great naval battle has been fought in the vicinity of the Windward passage, between the eastern end of Cuba and the westward part of Haiti, in which both the American squadrons closed in on the Spanish Cape Verde squadron, commanded by Admiral Cervera, and completely destroyed the Spanish ships.

In a Satisfactory Condition.

Madrid, May 25.—In the chamber of deputies Senor Puigcerver, minister of finance, replying to the criticisms of Marquis de Villaverde, Conservative, with respect to the financial policy of the government, repudiated the charge of want of foresight, and asserted that Spain's finances were in a "satisfactory condition, assuring the payment of all the expenses of the war."

Madrid, May 25.—Senor Puigcerver says that in view of the impossibility of negotiating loans abroad there is no means of raising funds to continue the war except by an extension of the Bank of Spain's note issue. All taxes are to be increased 20 per cent.

The Cables Cut.

Washington, May 25.—The auxiliary cruiser St. Louis has cut the cable at Santiago de Cuba and San Juan, Porto Rico.

This Is Rather Amusing.

Havana, May 25.—The Cuban government has decided to admit coal and provisions free of duty, if they can get in.

May Be a Blind.

Madrid, May 25.—Nonews is allowed out of Cadiz, and although it is announced that Admiral Camara starts aene to rejoin the fleet, it would not be surprising to learn that the squadron has already left and that the presence of Admiral Camara, as well as the official announcements aent the fleet soon sailing westward have been a blind to cover its departure.

Spanish Trick at Martinique.

St. Pierre, Martinique, May 25.—The Spanish torpedo boat destroyer Terror is being coaled by the Spanish steamer Alicante. The Alicante lies at the mouth of Port de France harbor. It was all along supposed that she was a hospital ship, but there is now no doubt that she carries a cargo of coal for the Spanish warships. Her pretensions to be a hospital ship were obviously put forward as a blind.

SUCCESSFUL BIDS.

Armor Plates for Three Battleships Contracted For.

Washington, May 25.—Bids were opened for supplying the armor for the three battleships, Illinois, Alabama and Wisconsin, now in course of construction at the Union iron works, Newport News and Cramps. This is the second time that the government has endeavored to secure bids for supplying the armor for these ships. The first effort made about a year ago was unsuccessful because congress had made the minimum cost per ton for the armor at a figure below the cost of production.

The present naval appropriation bill having increased the price allowed to \$400 per ton, this effort was successful. For the Illinois the two armor companies Bethlehem and Carnegie divided their bids, one taking the lighter armor and the other the heavier. For the Alabama the Bethlehem company bid \$1,022,504, while the Carnegie company did not bid. For the Wisconsin the Carnegie company bid \$1,023,504. The rate in each case was \$400 per ton flat for bolts and armor, the maximum amount allowed by congress.

Preparing to Sail.

Tangier, Morocco, May 25.—The following vessels of the Spanish reserve fleet at Cadiz, under Admiral Camara, are preparing to sail: Battleship Pelayo, armored cruisers Emperador, Carlos V, protected cruiser Alfonso XIII, torpedo gunboat Destructor, torpedo boat destroyer Proserpina, auxiliary cruisers Patria and Rapido.

Two Mail Orders Issued.

Washington, May 25.—Two orders in wash to mail for and from soldiers and sailors have been issued by Postmaster General Emory Smith. One order takes the Philippine Islands out of the category of places where mail communication with the United States is suspended, and the other revives a regulation permitting soldiers, sailors and marines to send letters, postage upon which is to be collected on delivery.

Spanish Admiral In Trouble.

Hongkong, May 25.—It is asserted that Admiral Montejó, commander of the Spanish squadron destroyed by Admiral Dewey at Manila, is to be courtmartialled on the charge of cowardice. Also that the captain of the Spanish revenue cutter Callao, more recently captured by a boat of the United States fleet, as she was entering Manila bay, is to be shot for not returning the fire of the Americans.

No Bluff Goes With Dewey.

Manilla, May 25.—The German consul tried to land provisions from a German ship but Admiral Dewey refused to permit it. The consul then declared he would force the landing under the protection of two German cruisers, but Admiral Dewey threatened to fire upon the cruisers and the attempt to land the supplies was abandoned.

Provisions Are Scarce.

Washington, May 25.—The navy department received a cablegram from Admiral Dewey saying that provisions in Manila are scarce. An outbreak of Spanish soldiers is feared in Manila, in which event foreign subjects will be transferred to Cavite. Rebels are organizing a cavalry force to assist Americans.

Flag Presented to Alger.

Washington, May 25.—There was an interesting scene in the ante room of Secretary Alger's office at the war department when a delegation of grizzled veterans from E. M. K. Lee post of Merchantville, N. J., presented the secretary with a large and handsome flag. Its dimensions were 21 by 32 feet.

BODIES RECOVERED.

Remains of Missionaries Murdered in Africa Given a Decent Burial.

Sierra Leone, Africa, May 25.—A force of troops has relieved the missionaries and others at Kwellu whose lives were imperilled by the uprising of the natives who rebelled against the imposition of the hut tax.

The bodies of the American missionaries who were murdered when the insurgents attacked and destroyed the town of Rotifu in the early part of the present month have been recovered and buried.

Ohio Postmasters.

Washington, May 25.—Ohio postmasters have been confirmed as follows: D. C. Bailey, West Liberty; Isaac N. Seaking, Bellefontaine; Joseph M. Milburn, Xenia; H. H. Young, Ada; Ira Crawford, Dayton; Robert F. Dent, Newcomerstown; A. J. Minger, Miamisburg; W. S. Fornshell, Camden; James B. Fisher, Marion; Robert S. Fulton, Germantown; A. L. Jones, Greenville; S. E. Loffer, Degraff; Robert V. Jones, Sidney; Charles A. Lehrer, Sandusky; C. A. McKim, Celina; Robert M. Rownd, Columbus; Harry E. Taylor, Orrville; Maryneal Hutches Smith, Urbana.

Government Not Responsible.

Washington, May 25.—The state department has made formal response to the Austrian government as to the Hungarians killed at Hazleton, Pa., in the riots of last fall. The governor of Pennsylvania sent in a long report made up mostly of the record of the celebrated trial, and this was reviewed by the attorney general and supplemented by a strong argument to maintain the position taken by our government, namely, that it was not responsible, under the circumstances, for the killing.

Wire Tapper Sentenced.

Chicago, May 25.—Oscar M. Stone began serving a six months' sentence in jail for wire tapping. The prisoner is believed to have been the most successful wire tapper in the country. Heretofore he has entirely escaped punishment. The sentence in this case was pronounced by Judge Grosscup of the United States circuit court. The particular offense was interfering with wires of the Western Union Telegraph company a few miles outside of Chicago.

More Projectiles Shipped.

Norfolk, Va., May 25.—The Armenia, loaded with projectiles for 13-inch guns, left the navy yard for Key West. She was accompanied by the torpedo boat McKee. The German ship Rhætia was transferred to the government. Calkers were put to work on the Newark. She is being pushed rapidly and will be ready for departure in a short time.

Two Cables Left.

Washington, May 25.—Late in the afternoon it was ascertained that the cable from Santiago that was cut by the American warship St. Louis was not the line controlled by the French company running from Santiago to Hayti through Guantanamo but one of the two English cables running to Jamaica.

Shipbuilders to Consolidate.

New York, May 25.—Reports received from London announce the consolidation of the Cramp Shipbuilding company of Philadelphia and Vickers' Sons & Maxim of Barrow-in-Furness, England, into one great shipbuilding concern. This alliance, if perfected, and there is little doubt of its being accomplished, will make one of the most powerful corporations of its kind on either continent.

Pallbearers Selected.

London, May 25.—The pallbearers at the funeral of Mr. Gladston will be the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York, the Marquis of Salisbury, the Earl of Kimberley, the Earl of Rosebery, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Mr. A. J. Balfour and Sir William Vernon Harcourt.

The Pope Is Grieved.

Rome, May 25.—The Observatore Romano publishes a letter from the pope to Cardinal Andrea Ferrari, archbishop of Milan, expressing profound emotion because of the grave disorders in Italy, said to have been participated in chiefly by Catholics.

To Consider Annexation.

Washington, May 25.—Assurance that a special rule for the consideration of the Hawaiian annexation resolutions would be reported to the house late this week was given.

Waldorf Is His Name.

Washington, May 25.—The nomination of George P. Waldorf to be collector of internal revenue for the Tenth district of Ohio was confirmed by the senate.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, May 25.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$204,642,022; gold reserve, \$173,387,974.

MUCH PROGRESS MADE

Presbyterian Assembly Routine Work Pushed.

QUEEN VIC CONGRATULATED.

He Promptly Acknowledges Receipt of the Message—Dr. Henry C. McCook Called to His Regiment in Pennsylvania.

Winona Lake, Ind., May 25.—Considerable progress was made in the routine business of the Presbyterian general assembly. Reports were received on home mission work and college aid. These showed an extremely satisfactory state of affairs and were accepted after thorough discussion.

A message of congratulation was sent to Queen Victoria on her seventyninth birthday, and before adjournment a reply was received from Balmoral Castle.

Dr. Henry C. McCook of Philadelphia was called to service with his regiment, the Second Pennsylvania.

Before leaving Dr. McCook addressed the assembly, but confined his remarks to the work and claims of the Presbyterian Historical society.

The subject of missionary periodicals, one of the most important before the assembly, was taken up.

Secretary Craven of the board of publication said he would consent to the proposed consolidation of the two magazines existing at present, but objected strenuously to the plan of control by a single editor.

Indians Refuse to Pay Taxes.

Wabash, Ind., May 25.—Miami Indians in this county are declining to list their personal property and their dogs for taxation, the assessors being vigorously repulsed whenever they approach the red men. The Indians take the ground that Judge Cox of the Miami circuit court, having decided that they are not citizens in the strict legal interpretation, they are not liable for taxes, and, though the case is in the supreme court on appeal, they refuse to recognize the taxing power in any manner.

Claims Self-Defense.

Richmond, Ind., May 25.—The trial of John W. Thrawley for the murder of Rufus Shoemaker began in the circuit court here. The murder was committed in Henry county on March 2. Thrawley claims self-defense, as well as justifiable cause. It is claimed that Shoemaker was criminally intimate with the wife of the defendant. The state claims that the murder was cold-blooded. Great interest is manifested in the case, and it will probably occupy the entire week.

A Snake Story.

Jeffersonville, Ind., May 25.—The residents of this city are unable to account for the appearance of an unusual number of snakes in this vicinity. Last night John Krause killed a large spreading viper as it was crossing the pavement on Spring street, near Front. Spring is the principal street in the city, and it is their appearance in the thickly populated part of town that is causing the surprise.

May Be Lynched.

Paducah, Ky., May 25.—Mrs. Lee Stanley, a farmer's wife, was assaulted by a negro at her home, near here. She resisted and the fend cut her with a butcher-knife and then shot her twice. Her husband heard the shots and was coming to her rescue, when she fell at his feet. She may die. A posse was organized to hunt down the negro.

Attempted Suicide.

Jeffersonville, Ind., May 25.—Twice did Martin Fogarty, in jail for wife beating, attempt suicide, and both times he was unsuccessful. He first turned on the gas and inhaled it, but was discovered. Later he jumped from the second story of the jail to the first landing on his head, making a severe though not fatal wound.

A Baby Drowned.

Elwood, Ind., May 25.—The 15-months-old son of John Moore disappeared and after a twelve-hour search his body was recovered from Duck creek, three miles from home.

Trying to Float a Loan.

Paris, May 25.—Senor Leon y Castillo is charged to endeavor to float a loan of \$50,000,000 on the security of the tobacco monopoly.

Minister For Foreign Affairs.

Madrid, May 25.—Duke Almodovar de Rio was sworn in as minister for foreign affairs.

Madrid, May 25.—Senor Leon y Castillo, the Spanish ambassador to France, has returned to Paris to continue his mysterious negotiations, which are now believed to be financial rather than political.

EVENING BULLETIN.

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 WEDNESDAY, MAY 25, 1898.

WITH the view of securing uniformity, economy and efficiency of administration, the city authorities have decided to make the City Physician—Dr. Harover—the executive officer of the Board of Health. This arrangement prevents any conflict of duties, the health officer receives adequate pay for the services rendered, and, in accordance with a recent judicial decision, there can be no lawful compensation for claims of "extra" or "extra hazardous" service. In adopting this plan the city authorities have practically followed the example of the County Fiscal Court. The local authorities will henceforth have complete and effective control of local sanitary affairs.

THE Army and Navy Journal voices the general sentiment in the following: "If W. T. Sampson and Winfield Scott Schley are not competent to command let them be relieved without further delay, and other officers assigned to command their fleets. If they are competent they should be given full liberty of action without interference from the war boards or paper strategists. "If the gentlemen who assume direction from Washington are more competent put them in command of the fleets and place the responsibility on them. "Admiral Dewey has shown what can be accomplished by bold and independent action. Does any one believe that he could have accomplished what he has if he had been at the end of a wire running into the Navy Department?"

IT IS A SHAME

To Pay Campaign Debts With Army Appointments—Free Gifts to Birth and Wealth.

[New York Journal.] Even in aristocratic England, though you might be born a Lord and worth millions, you can no longer purchase a commission in the army.

Here in the United States commissions in the army are given away as free gifts to birth and wealth.

This favoritism is a disgrace to the Government which practices it, demoralizing to the service and a shame to the republic.

What earthly reason is there for making Mr. Bradley Strong a Lieutenant Colonel, for glaring instance? His only claim to notice above millions of other young men is that he happens to be a son of ex-Mayor Strong, of New York. That is a distinction, certainly, but how does it fit Master Bradley for soldiering? His sole military experience that attracted public notice was the organization of a paper chase, which is an imitation fox hunt, at Seabright.

Consider the feelings of army officers who have served on the frontier until they are gray, and yet are now only Lieutenants or Captains, at seeing rich men's sons and young dandies given higher rank than themselves, for no other cause than their parentage, their wealth, their social position or their political pull.

Contrasted with these commission-seeking and commission-getting nobodies the behavior of Craig Wadsworth, Willie Tiffany (grandson of Commodore Perry), W. C. Eustis (nephew of the former Ambassador to France), and other club ornaments of New York, is manly and admirable. They have been content to go to the war as privates.

The army has a right to feel angry, the people have a right to feel indignant and ashamed at the President's abuse of power by putting moneyed nonentities in places of responsible command. It is an outrage of magnitude that will be paid in in mismanaged battles and needlessly spilled blood—American blood.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Maysville, Mason County, Ky., for the week ending Tuesday, May 24, 1898:

Bel, Miss Sadie
 Cunningham, Mrs. J. H.
 Kennard, James J.
 Maddox, Miss Francis

Persons calling for any of the above will please say advertised.

CLARENCE MATHEWS, P. M.

Yellow Jaundice Cured.

Suffering humanity should be supplied with every means possible for its relief. It is with pleasure we publish the following: "This is to certify that I was a terrible sufferer from yellow jaundice for over six months, and was treated by some of the best physicians in our city and all to no avail. Dr. Bell, our druggist, recommended Electric Bitters; and after taking two bottles, I was entirely cured. I now take great pleasure in recommending them to any person suffering from this terrible malady. I am gratefully yours, M. A. Hogarty, Lexington, Ky. Sold by J. Jas. Wood, druggist.

KENTUCKY POLITICS.

Hon. C. B. Poyntz on the New Election Law and the Coming Congressional Contest.

[Cincinnati Enquirer.]

Hon. Charles B. Poyntz, of Maysville, Ky., ex-State Senator, ex-State Railroad Commissioner, and now a member of the State Board of Elections, was at the Emery Monday. To the Enquirer man Mr. Poyntz stated that there is considerable interest developing in the approaching political campaign in Kentucky, and that the Democratic party would have all its candidates for Congress nominated within the next sixty days.

"How do you think your new election law will work?" was asked Mr. Poyntz.

"It is the determination of Judge Pryor, Mr. Ellis and myself to appoint none but thoroughly reliable gentlemen upon the county boards and to give to the people a fair election. We shall certainly do all within our power to produce that result, and it is only those who prefer otherwise that are disturbed over the new election law."

"How about the race for Congress in your district?"

"Well several worthy Democrats have been mentioned, but Mr. Hager and Mr. Williams, both of Boyd County, are, so far, the only announced candidates."

"Will there probably be other aspirants?"

"Yes, I suppose there will be, but there seems to be no spontaneous sentiment in the district for any one except the Hon. J. N. Kehoe, of Maysville, and I think the other aspirants will discover this and not be in the fight should Kehoe become a candidate. There seems to be a demand from most every county in the district that Mr. Kehoe shall make the race. Having been active in politics of the Ninth district for years, and being Chairman of the Executive Committee, he is the best known man in the district, and more familiar with its politics than any one else. We are all very anxious to win this year, and I hope Mr. Kehoe will enter the race and be nominated, for I am sure we can win with him as our nominee. I have known him since boyhood, and I know him to be thoroughly Democratic, trustworthy and efficient, and as game a fighter as lives. Mr. Kehoe comes from a family of brilliant men, all of whom worked up from the ranks of the people and have made successful men of themselves."

"How is Mr. Kehoe on the silver question?"

"He is thoroughly and enthusiastically in accord with the principles of the Chicago platform, a warm advocate of Cuban independence and favors a vigorous prosecution of the war with Spain or any other Power on earth that dares offer insult to our flag. He has done more work for the party than any man in the district, but has always been averse to running for office, but, with the general sentiment urging his candidacy, I don't see how he can consistently disregard the wishes of his party in the ensuing campaign. He is a first-class organizer, a ready and brilliant debater and in every way qualified and equipped for the campaign and position, and I consider him the 'Dewey' of the district."

"Who will the Republicans probably nominate?"

"Hon. Samuel J. Pugh, present member, will be a very hard man to beat for renomination if he should seek the same. Hon. W. H. Cox, ex-Mayor of Maysville, is a candidate, and if general worth and party loyalty be rewarded Mr. Cox will probably receive the nomination. I have heard several others mentioned, but I am not posted as to whom the general sentiment of their party favors."

Horses and Mules Wanted.

We will be at Mose Daulton & Bro.'s stable, Maysville, Ky., Tuesday, June 7, to buy horses and mules. Horses must be from 15.1 to 16 hands high, weigh from 950 to 1,200 pounds, and be from four to seven years old. Mules must be from five to seven years old and weigh from 850 to 1,200 pounds.

JEWELL & PATTERSON, Lexington.

WILL FIGHT THE LEVY.

The American Express Company Objects to Kentucky State Taxes—Suit Filed at Frankfort.

FRANKFORT, Ky., May 23.—Hon. Lawrence Maxwell, of Cincinnati, filed a suit in the District Federal Court here to-day for the American Express Company, seeking to enjoin the State from collecting a tax on its corporate franchise.

The grounds of the petition are that the Kentucky law authorizing such a tax on foreign corporations is in violation of the regulations of inter-State commerce, and, further, that the American Express Company has not such property or privilege in this State as brings it within the purview of this State, and is therefore exempt.

THE next term of the Mason Circuit Court will convene June 6th.

The Royal is the highest grade baking powder known. Actual tests show it goes one-third further than any other brand.



HIGHEST cash price paid for hides,—

Klipp & Brown.

WM. I. DENNIS is the new postmaster at Crayton, Nicholas County.

REV. J. M. EVANS is now engaged in a union meeting at Baldwin, Miss.

MRS. KATE CRAVEN and family have moved into Mr. Tom Guilfoyle's property on East Fifth street.

MR. C. F. LLOYD sold five hogsheads of tobacco at Cincinnati the past week at prices ranging from \$10.75 to \$15.75 per hundred.

THERE are three healthy white children at Mason County Infirmary desiring homes. Apply to E. J. Slattery, Superintendent.

THE State Baptist Association will meet at Hopkinsville June 18th and continue in session four days. About 400 delegates will be in attendance from different parts of the State.

DR. S. R. HAROVER is President of the newly-organized Board of Health. The other members of the board are Messrs. James H. Hall, William Sproemberg and Wm. H. Dersch.

AN elegant line of Knights Templar charms and pins at Ballenger's jewelry establishment. None handsomer to be found anywhere. Call and see his stock. No trouble to show goods.

FRED H. ROBERTS, the Governor's Private Secretary, slipped on the wooden steps at the east end of the Statehouse Monday and fell, breaking his leg at the ankle joint. The physicians fear he will be lame for life.

THE large drying house of the G. G. White Distilling Company of Paris burned Monday night. It was built two months ago with the latest improved machinery, at a cost of many thousand dollars. The plant is owned by A. Senior & Son, of Cincinnati.

THE Kentucky Conference Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will convene in Millersburg, June 10. Dr. A. P. Parker, President of the Anglo-Chinese College, Shanghai, China, will be with them and will preach the annual sermon Sunday morning.

MR. CHAMBERS, of the Maysville Telephone Company, has completed a line from Aberdeen to Ellsberry for C. B. Sutton. Office in Aberdeen at Mr. Sutton's stable. The Ellsberry people would like to have a direct line to Maysville, and the prospects are that they will, in the near future.

MRS. SALLIE J. LOGAN, widow of the late Dr. J. M. Logan, of Lexington, bequeathed her 1606 acre Bourbon County farm to her nieces, Miss Lizzie Ewalt Grimes and Mrs. Sallie S. Talbott, of Paris, her house and lot on Broadway, Lexington, also the residue from the sale of 110 acres of land in Fayette County to the Bible College, Lexington.

DR. JOHN SWEENEY, of Paris, who enlisted in the hospital corps of the Louisville Legion, First Regiment, has been transferred to the Second Regiment, and has been promoted to the position of Steward of the hospital corps of that regiment. Dr. Ben Frank, also of Paris, was Saturday promoted to the office of Steward of the Louisville Legion hospital corps. The position of Steward pays \$60 per month. Sweeney is a son of Rev. John S. Sweeney.

Y. M. C. A. Matters.

The meeting held at Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon was one of the best we have had for some time. Sixty-five attended to hear the Rev. J. W. Porter's masterly address relative to our soldiers and the work the State Executive Committee of the Y. M. C. A. of Louisville was doing towards providing a tent containing books, periodicals, &c., to be placed with each of three Kentucky regiments, in charge of a competent and experienced Y. M. C. A. Secretary. A collection was taken up for this worthy object, amounting to \$12.25. Miss Martin, of Lexington, sang a solo in splendid voice, accompanied by Miss Lida Berry. President I. M. Lane led the meeting in his pleasant manner. Cool lemonade was served during the meeting.

Pocket-Lining Prices.

We like to be modest about our own perfections, but when everyone tells us we have the handsomest line of Mattings in town we feel justified in self-congratulation. Furnishers will appreciate to-day's doings in the Matting corner. Twenty rolls of Whang Mattings are here at prices not apt to be matched in five years. It's a happening of the unexpected—an event to be availed of by forestalling all possible Matting needs. Seven styles Whang Reversible Matting 15c. a yard, usually 20c.

Show Your Colors,

and here is the place to find them at a trifling cost. Neat little silken emblems for pinning on dress or lapel, 5c. Some handsome novelties in Shirt Waist Sets just received, 15 to 75c. Military Belts with handsome buckle, 50c. Military Hat Pins, 5c. Dainty hemstitched Handkerchiefs, with silk embroidered U. S. and Cuban flags, 10c. New Colars this week, very stylish designs, 10c., 15c. Ascot Ties just received in silk and satin, black and colors, 25c., 50c. Colored Pique Ties, very new, 25c. Handsome taffeta fringed Sashes, three and a half yards long, \$2.89. Also heavy double-faced satin Ribbon and silk Fringe for making same.

Odd Lots of Corsets.

We've been "cleaning house" in the Corset stock and found some sorts that have sizes missing. To make a quick clean-up of the odd lots we give some interesting prices to-day. At \$1.00, Estelle Corsets of strong linen for stout figures; extra hip steels, double front clasp, spoon busk; large sizes only, hence \$1.00 instead of \$1.50. At 50c., Surprise Corsets, regular 75c. value, long waist with triple stay through waist; not all sizes, but if we have yours you will get a bargain.

D. HUNT & SON.

HOPKINSVILLE HOT

Over the Bad Treatment of Their Crack Military Company by Governor Bradley.

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., May 23.—Nothing in years has created so much excitement and bad feeling in the citizens of this city as has the bad treatment that it is claimed has been accorded the young men composing Co. D, better known as Latham Light Guards. Of all the gallant boys that left here two weeks ago for Camp Collier and the war, less than a dozen men are now in Lexington, the others having returned home, most of them getting in yesterday.

The Latham Guards, that was one of the State's crack companies, and deservedly popular wherever it went, has been disbanded, and the new Company D that will take its place will in no sense, it is said, be a Hopkinsville company, and few, if any, of the Lathams will enlist in it.

Dissipation upon the part of some of its officers was made an excuse, it is alleged, by Governor Bradley to interfere in the affairs of the company, and disagreements and other troubles followed when the Governor commissioned a Frankfort man to organize another company in place of the Lathams. Captain Feland came home with his men, but has nothing to say, except that Governor Bradley has always been inimical to him.

Lieutenant Bassett, whose commission was revoked while he was here this week recruiting the thirty men necessary to keep the company on its present basis, is also here.

The people of this city are very much worked up over this matter, and intend to find out the parties who have done this alleged wrong to an institution in which they have taken so much pride for years past.

SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Mr. Glenn Chunn Met With a Very Painful Accident at the Maysville Manufactory Tuesday.

Mr. Glenn Chunn had the misfortune to meet with a serious accident Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

He was employed at the Maysville Manufactory in the West End, and was operating a wood-working machine when his left hand was caught. The two middle fingers were so badly mangled that they had to be amputated.

The operation was performed by Dr. Ricketts, the Cincinnati surgeon, assisted by Drs. Reed and Adamson. Mr. Chunn was getting along very nicely last evening.

The index and small fingers were also badly injured, and the first may have to be taken off.

MONEY to loan, 6 per cent. J. M. Collins, 35 West Third street.

Discovered by a Woman.

Another great discovery has been made, and that too, by a lady in this country. "Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly, and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recovery, by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, and was so much relieved on taking first dose, that she slept all night; and with two bottles, has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz. Thus writes W. C. Hamrick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Trial bottles free at J. James Wood's drug store. Regular size 50c. and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed.

FIRING!

HAVE YOU taken advantage of our closing-out sale? You only have till June 1st to do so and lost opportunities can't be recalled. Our regular bulletin No. 2 is a beauty for you.

Cut Sals and Peppers 15c., worth 25c. Limoges Cups and Saucers, worth \$1.25 to \$2.00, at 75c.

China Cream Pitchers at 9c. Japanese Teapots at 10 and 20c. Decorated China Plates 9c. to 80c.

Glass Lamps, complete, 17, 22 and 29c. Carlsbad Decorated thirteen piece Berry Set, \$2.07.

Brilliant large-size Berry Bowls, 16c. CASH sales only are made at these prices, and you are invited to call and examine.

C. D. Russell & Co. Strawberries!

The season is now at hand for HOME-GROWN, and as usual my house will be headquarters for the very best fruit in the market, both wholesale and retail. Also as the season advances I have arranged to have each day shipments of

CULTIVATED BLACKBERRIES, RASPBERRIES, CHERRIES, PEACHES, ETC.

The fruit will be placed on the market here on the same day it is picked, and buyers can always depend on getting the very freshest and best stock the country affords. Remember the Strawberry season only lasts three weeks, so don't put off buying until too late.

R. B. LOVEL

THE LEADING GROCER.

TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids for the erection of the City Almshouse, except the excavation and foundation, will be received up to

Wednesday, June 1, 1898.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Mayor's office. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

GEO. W. CROWELL,
 GEO. H. HEISLER,
 H. L. NEWELL,
 DR. S. R. HAROVER,
 W. E. STALLCUP.

WANTED.

WANTED—To exchange a family carriage in fair condition—Miller make, with glass partition—for set of good single harness, collar and hames. GEO. W. SUTLER.

WANTED—If you want washing and ironing and house cleaning done, apply at 312 East Fifth street.

WANTED—A good white girl to do general housework. Apply to 323 West Third street. MRS. B. W. GOODMAN. 16-17

DR. J. D. KINCAID, aged eighty-nine, died this week at Catlettsburg. He was one of the most prominent physicians of Eastern Kentucky.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cent, per box. For sale by J. James Wood.

The Bee Hive!

A CAR-LOAD OF MATTINGS,

By far the largest single shipment of its kind that ever arrived in Maysville, reached us on Tuesday. They are all of best grade Chinese and Japanese make and include the very latest and choicest designs, and all at prices that we vouch will be a saving to you of at least 25 per cent. We've no space for detailed description. Suffice to say that prices range from 12½ to 30 cents a yard. If you're in need of Mattings, and a prudent purchaser, see these.

LACE CURTAINS.

During the past week our Lace Curtain stock has been greatly replenished. We have them to please the most modest and fastidious tastes. At 45 cents there is a "Nottingham" three yards long, worth fully 65 cents. Our \$1.25 Curtain, three and a half yards long, is especially worthy. At \$2.75 there is a "Brussels Net," three and a half yards long and sixty inches wide, of regular \$3.50 value. You can obtain valuable Curtain knowledge by investigating our stock.

DUCKS AND DRESS CRASH.

Our stock of these is immense, though we've sold heaps of 'em in the past fortnight. There is a high grade linen crash at 10 cents; something better at 12½, 15 and 18 cents. Figured Ducks and Ducks in solid colors at 10, 12½ and 15 cents. A great line of Piques in black, white, pink, navy and light blue at prices ranging from 15 to 29 cents. These are all great values at small prices.

A Bargain Table leader for this week will be a regular 12½c. Organdie for 7½c. a yard.

ROSENAU BROS.,

PROPRIETORS OF THE BEE HIVE

KINGS OF LOW PRICES.

DIED THIS MORNING.

Death Claims Mr. W. P. Walker, Jr., Freight Traffic Manager of the C. and O. Railroad.

Mr. W. P. Walker, Jr., Freight Traffic Manager of the C. and O. Railroad, died this morning at 2:15 o'clock at Clifton Forge, Va. His critical condition was mentioned in Tuesday's issue.

Mr. Walker suffered from a stroke of paralysis last February while attending the Masonic conclave at Cincinnati, and was dangerously ill at the St. Nicholas for two or three weeks. When able to be removed he was taken to Newport News, where his condition improved considerably, and for a while he was able to be about. Recently he became much worse, and was removed to Clifton Forge.

Deceased was a son of Captain Wm. P. Walker, of this city, and was born September 3rd, 1850. His mother has been dead several years. Previous to her marriage, she was Miss Eliza Stewart, a resident of this city, and a sister of the late Mrs. John B. Gibson. He started in life as a clerk on the river, and for years held the position of first clerk on the steamer Bostona when she plied as the railroad packet in the Cincinnati-Huntington trade. Afterwards he accepted a position with the Kentucky Central Railroad, and later went with the C. and O. His splendid ability was soon recognized, and he was promoted to the position he held at the time of his death,—one of the most important at the disposal of the company. He was married, his wife with one child surviving.

The funeral arrangements have not been announced, but he will probably be laid to rest by the side of his mother in beautiful Spring Grove Cemetery at Cincinnati.

River News.

Heavy rains fell Monday along the New river and Monongahela and another rise is coming.

Keystone State is due down this evening and Stanley to-night. Bonanza up for Pomeroy.

The Pittsburg towboat Tornado has eclipsed all records for towboats of her size. She arrived at Cincinnati Monday with a tow consisting of six coalboats and sixteen barges, almost 385,000 bushels of black diamonds. This, of course, is not the largest tow ever brought down the river, but it is by far the largest ever brought down by a boat of her class.

Cut Glass.

Murphy, the jeweler, has just received the most select line of cut glass ever shown in Maysville. Cuttings are all entirely new. Just the thing for a handsome bridal present.

BIG SUIT ON TRIAL.

The Linss Case Against the C. and O. For \$25,000 Damages Being Heard at Covington.

The case of Charles Linss, administrator of Lula and Mary Elizabeth Linss, against the C. and O. was begun Monday in the U. S. Circuit Court at Covington.

The suit is for \$25,000 damages for the killing of the young ladies. It will be remembered they met their death at Concord one night about 11 o'clock a year or so ago while returning from a party.

The unfortunate young ladies were in a buggy, accompanied by Alvin Pollock, and were struck by the Washington express, all three being almost instantly killed.

The evidence for the plaintiff was concluded Monday evening. Judge Phister and Senator Goebel are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Greater Than Ever is Our Spring and Summer Stock.....

That the populace realize this is evidenced by the throng our store has been honored with in the past month. The well-known fact that no garment is suffered to be taken out of our house unless we are assured that it is perfect in fit gives an assured guarantee to our customers that they are perfectly safe to entrust themselves in our hands. Moreover, you are not required to guess at the price of what you buy. All of our goods are marked out in plain figures. It's the price; no more nor less.

We want to call your attention to our 1898

Crash Suits!

Although we had but one or two days warm weather, we have sold a surprising number already. They are pronounced by our best dressers the handsomest hot weather Suits ever sold here. We want you to call and see them. Our Hopkins Straw Hats are now ripe. None like them. See them in our window.

Our Negligee Shirts, from the celebrated manufacturers, the Manhattan Shirt Company, New York, and Samuel Sternberger & Co., Philadelphia, are the rage. See them in our window.

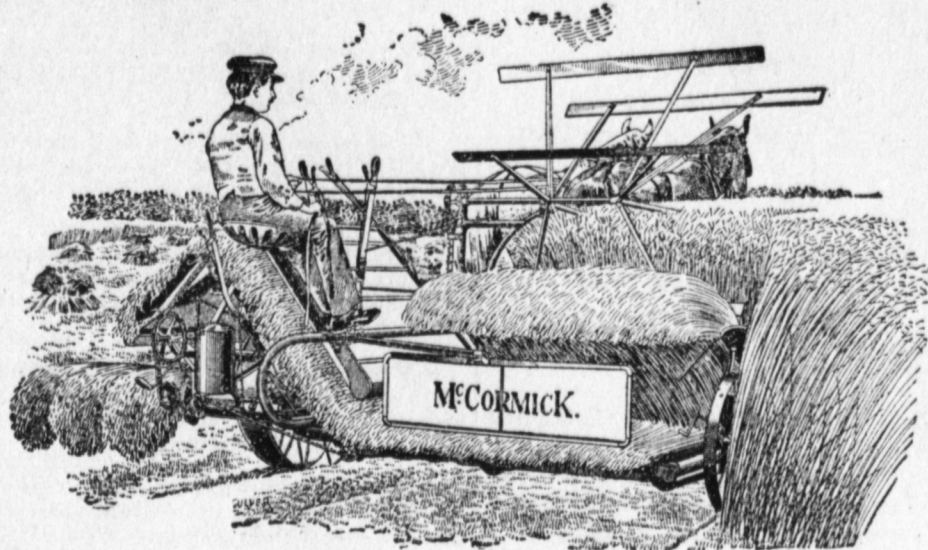
What we particularly call your attention to are our Shoes. That department we are right smartly proud of. Those that wear them are our best advertisers. They say our Shoes combine more comfort and more solid wear than any Shoes they ever wore. We warrant every pair we sell. An elegant line of Boys' Shoes just in.

Hechinger & Co.

M'CORMICK

Binders and Mowers.

THE WORLD'S BEST. Right hand, open rear, roller bearings, light draft and no neck weight. A good pair to hitch to.



THOMPSON & McATEE

Headquarters for Buggies, Bicycles and Implements, Maysville, Ky.

A PLEASANT SURPRISE

Are the Prices at the New York Store of Hays & Co.

Our New Up-to-Date Goods!

We can show you a complete line of
WASH GOODS.
Lawn, 3c, worth 5c.
Plaid Lawn, linen finish, all the rage, suitable for suitings, regular price, 10c., our price, 5c.
Just received twenty pieces elegant Summer Fabrics. Regular price, 20c, our price, 7½c.

DRESS GOODS.
See our Brocade Mohair, 24 cents, worth 50c.
Five pieces on sale this week at 35c. a yard, real value, 65c.
Fifteen pieces fine Dress Goods, regular price, 15c., our price, 8½c.
Twenty-four pair fine Lace Curtains, regular price, \$1, our price, 65c.
Curtain Poles, 15c.

CARPETS.
A good Carpet, 17½c.
A better one, 20c.
A splendid one, 27c., worth 50c.

SHOES AND CLOTHING.
Nice Ladies' Tan Shoes, Vesting top, worth \$2, our price, \$1.39.
Men's Suits cheaper than ever.
Boy's nice Knee Suits, \$1, worth \$2.

NEW YORK STORE,
HAYS & CO.

Ladies'

Vici Kid Goodyear Welt, button and polish, new style lasts, \$2.50, worth \$3.00.

F. B. RANSON & CO.

REV. E. B. CAKE.

A Former Well Known Pastor of the Christian Church Died Monday at Decatur, Ill.

The Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune Tuesday contained a dispatch announcing the death of Rev. Erastus B. Cake at his home in Decatur, Ill. No particulars were given except that he passed away Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock after a short illness.

Deceased was pastor of the Christian Church, this city, for three years preceding the pastorate of Rev. S. D. Dutcher, and became widely known by reason of the views he advocated on many theological questions. He was an eloquent speaker, a gentleman of commanding appearance, a fine singer and rarely ever failed to attract a large audience. Since leaving Maysville, he and his family had resided at Decatur. His wife survives, and he leaves four sons and three daughters, all grown.

The many warm friends in Maysville of deceased and his estimable family learned with sincere sorrow of his death.

Ice cream soda water at Henry W. Ray's Postoffice Drug Store to-day.

MISSSES' AND CHILDREN'S

Chocolate High Shoes

J. HENRY PECOR.

FOR SALE.

NOTICE—The party who picked up a buggy on Commerce street please return to HENRY BLANCHARD and receive reward. 25-2t

FOR SALE—Fine custom-made Carriage in good order, cheap, at Mose Daulton & Bro.'s.

FOR SALE—A pair of scales, suitable for a grocer. Will sell cheap. Apply at this office. 2-dtf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A two-story frame residence on Forest avenue. Apply to WOOD BROS., meat store, 229 Market street. 2-dtf

FOUND.

FOUND—A good overcoat, was left in the Circuit Clerk's office during the recent term of court. Owner can get same by calling and paying for this notice. 2-dtf

Indications of Kentucky Descent.

(Washington Star.)
The ease with which Admiral Dewey got around the bottling process may cause the assumption that some of his ancestors were Kentuckians.

Pure witch hazel at Klipp & Brown's.

QUARTERED ON BOARD.

General Anderson Is Embarked
For Manila.

TROOPS ARE IN GOOD SHAPE.

On the City of Peking They Are
Somewhat Crowded.

HOWEVER, THEY ARE CHEERFUL.

All Troops Quartered at the Presidio
Are to Be Transferred to Fort
Richmond, Where They
Will Be Better Under
Control.

San Francisco, May 25.—Brigadier
General Anderson and his staff are
quartered on board the steamer Aus-
tralia and will not again leave the
vessel until she reaches Honolulu.

General Anderson has made a final
inspection of the troops under his
command and says that everything is
as well as could be expected. The men
are happy and, beyond a little crowd-
ing on the City of Peking, there is no
complaint heard.

Orders have been issued to the com-
manders of volunteer troops quartered
at the Presidio to transfer their effects
and the men to Fort Richmond. Thus
the entire volunteer force now gath-
ered in this city will be mobilized and
better under control by the heads of
different departments.

Negotiations are pending between
the navy department and the owners
of the steamer Roanoke either to buy
or charter her. The Roanoke came to
this coast from Baltimore for the
Alaskan trade. She is a fine passen-
ger steamer of 1,655 tons.

Colonel Hale of the Colorado volun-
teers has received instructions to have
his men ready for embarkation on
Thursday for Manila. This regiment
is fully equipped. It is said they will
start on the Roanoke.

COUNTY CULLINGS.

Items Picked Up by the Bulletin's Corre-
spondents in Mason and
Elsewhere.

COTTAGEVILLE.

Wheat is beginning to head.
Corn is nearly all planted in this neighborhood.
Harlan Teager is visiting in Flemingsburg this
week.

Miss Lucretia King visited Miss Mollie E. Dog-
gett Sunday.

Some tobacco was planted in this vicinity after
the late rains.

Rolla Luman was calling on friends in this
section last Sunday.

E. C. Henderson, our merchant, was in Mays-
ville one day last week on business.

Dr. Winder attended the meeting of the State
Medical Association in Maysville last week.

Mrs. John McCarahan, who has been sick for
some time, is reported as not being any better.

Joseph Tully, of Tollesboro, passed through
our village en route to Springdale one day this
week.

BERNARD.

Several cases of measles in this vicinity.

C. A. Tucker sold his wheat last week at \$1.15.

Miss Carolyn Long is visiting in Flemingsburg.

Mrs. Walker, of near Rectortville, visited Mrs.
Grant one day last week.

Quite a number of our young people attended
the picnic at Oak Woods last Saturday.

Cyrus Case has sold his store to Mr. Archie
Rowland, and he is now our postmaster.

Miss Margaret Nolin and Mr. Lloyd were the
guests of Miss Minnie Wells last Sunday.

Dr. R. A. White and wife spent Saturday and
Sunday with D. Sam White, near Rectortville.

Rev. White, of Carlisle, who was at one time
the pastor at Stonelick Church, is visiting C.
D. Wells.

PLUMVILLE.

Mrs. George Venoy and her two children, of
Cincinnati, are guests of relatives here.

Mrs. D. C. Yazzell, aged eighty-four years, fell
down a bank at her home a few days ago, and is
thought to be fatally hurt.

The ladies of this vicinity will give an ice
cream supper at the church next Saturday even-
ing. The proceeds go towards the indebtedness
of the church. Everybody cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Redman are having their
residence at "Orchard Farm" re-papered and
painted, and are adding a new veranda to the
west side. E. L. Cobb is doing the papering and
Amos Wilson the painting.

Decoration Day Excursion Monday, May
30th. For Benefit of Washington Opera
House and Fire Company—Maysville to
Cincinnati and Return \$1.25.

On Monday, May 30th, the C. and
O. will sell round trip tickets, Maysville
to Cincinnati, at the rate of \$1.25; 50
cents of the price of each ticket to be
given to the Washington Opera House
and Fire Company.

See the great parade; one feature 25-
000 school children in line. Bicycle race
from Chester Park to Cincinnati. Re-
union of the Blue and Gray at Covington
and the beautiful decorations at Spring
Grove Cemetery, one of the finest in the
United States.

For further attractions see posters.
Tickets good going on the 5:30 and 8:50 a.
m. train May 30th, and returning on the
5:30 p. m. train May 30th, and on the
7:45 a. m. train May 31st.

PERSONAL.

—Dr. Ricketts, of Cincinnati, was the
guest of Dr. Adamson Tuesday.

—Col. Richard Dawson has returned
after a sojourn at Carrollton, Mo.

—Miss Willa Watson is the guest of
Miss Florence Ingles, of Lexington.

—Miss Mamie Young, a pupil of the
State College, Lexington, is at home for
the vacation.

—Miss Emma Allen, of Newport, is the
guest of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Short, of
East Third street.

—Miss Sallie Ball will be the guest of
Miss Katie Savage, of Millersburg, during
the commencement of the Female Col-
lege.

—Mrs. Rebecca Oridge, who has been
visiting her children in Mason County
since February, returned to her home at
Cincinnati Tuesday.

—Mrs. Bascom, of Sharpsburg, and sis-
ter, Miss Jessie Peed, of Mayslick, are
visiting their aunts, Mrs. Slack and Mrs.
B. F. Cliff, of Forest avenue.

—Congressman Pugh and wife were in
town this morning en route to Richmond,
Ky., to attend the commencement of the
school where their daughter is a pupil.

—Mr. Garrett Thompson returned
Tuesday afternoon to Lexington where he
is a pupil at the College of the Bible. He
will leave shortly to take charge of a
church in Tennessee.

—Miss Clara Russell returned to Cin-
cinnati Tuesday after a delightful visit to
friends and relatives. She was accom-
panied by Mrs. Dr. Russell A. White, who
went to the city to attend the May
Festival this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Frazee, of
Flemingsburg, are in town visiting rela-
tives and will also spend some time in
the county before returning home. Their
many friends are glad to know Mr.
Frazee's health is somewhat improved.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations for May 24.

New York.

Beef—Family, \$11 00@12 00; extra mess,
\$8 00@9 75; packed, 9 00@10 50. Cuts mess,
—Pickled bellies, 6 1/4@7 1/4; pickled should-
ers, 4 1/4@5; pickled hams, 7 1/4@8. Lard
—Western cream, \$6 80. Pork—Old mess,
\$11 75@12 1/2.

Butter—Western dairy, 14 1/2@17; cream-
ery, 14 1/2@17; 40 factory, 11 1/2@15. Cheese—
State, large, 8 1/4@8 3/4; small, 9 00@9 1/4; part
skims, 5 1/2@6 1/4; full skims, 2 1/2@3. Eggs—
State and Pennsylvania, 11 1/2@12; western
fresh, 11c.

Wheat—\$1 61 1/2. Corn—41 1/2c. Oats—34 1/2c.
Rye—67c.

Chicago.

Cattle—Beef, \$4 00@5 25; cows and
heifers, \$4 05@4 75; Texas steers, \$4 15@
4 70; western, \$4 35@4 85; stockers and
feeders, \$4 25@4 85.

Hogs—Yorks, \$4 30@4 55; roughs, com-
mon to good, \$4 20@4 50; mediums and
heavies, \$4 30; pigs, \$3 60@4 00.

Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, \$4 25@
5 45; fair, \$4 20@4 40; common, \$3 25@
4 10; exports, \$3 00; choice lambs, \$4 50@
6 00.

Wheat—\$1 65. Corn—34 1/2c. Oats—28 1/2c.
Rye—66c.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Choice, \$5 10@5 15; good, \$5 00@
5 10; tidy butchers, \$4 90@4 75; fair, \$4 30
@4 50; common, \$4 00@4 70; heifers, \$3 50
@4 40; bulls, stags and cows, \$2 00@4 10;
fresh cows, \$20@25.

Hogs—Yorks, \$4 50@4 55; mediums,
\$4 25@4 30; fair, \$4 00; grassers, \$3 10@
3 15; heavy, \$4 15@4 20; rough, \$2 50@
3 50; pigs, \$3 95@4 05.

Sheep—Choice, \$4 05@4 10; good, \$4 05@
4 10; fair, \$3 85@4 00; common, \$3 25@
3 50; lambs, \$4 95@5 00.

Buffalo.

Cattle—Butchers, \$4 35@4 65; shipping,
\$4 70@4 80; best steers, \$5 30@5 35; good
cows and heifers, \$3 25@4 25; stockers and
feeders, \$3 50@4 40.

Hogs—Yorks, \$4 35@4 40; roughs, com-
mon to good, \$3 90@4 10; mediums and
heavies, \$4 10; pigs, \$3 90@4 00.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$3 90@4 50;
lambs, \$4 25@5 50.

Cattle—Steers, \$4 60@4 75; heifers, \$3 00
@3 90; cows and bulls, \$1 90@3 55.

Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1 30. Corn—No. 2
mixed, 37 1/2c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 31c. Rye
—62c.

Lard—\$6 17 1/2. Bulk meats—\$6 50. Bacon
—\$7 25.

Hogs—\$3 60@4 45. Cattle—\$2 75@4 65.
Sheep—\$2 75@4 00.

Boston.

Wool—Ohio fleeces: 2 and above, 25@26c;
XX and XX above, 20@30c; delaine,
30c; No. 1 combing, 30c; No. 2 combing,
29c.

Toledo.

Wheat—\$1 54. Corn—37 1/2c. Oats—31c.
Rye—63c. Cloverseed—\$3 30.

Baltimore.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 17c. Eggs—
Fresh, 10c.

RETAIL MARKET.

GREEN COFFEE—#1 B. 12 1/2@15
MOLASSES—new crop, #1 gallon, 35 @
Golden Syrup, #1 35 @40
Sorghum, fancy new, 40 @
SUGAR—Yellow, #1 B. 4 1/2 @
Extra C, #1 B. 4 1/2 @
A, #1 B. 4 1/2 @
Granulated, #1 B. 6 @
Powdered, #1 B. 7 1/2 @
New Orleans, #1 B. 5 @
TEAS—#1 B. 50 @1 00
COAL OIL—Headlight, #1 gallon, 12 @
BACON—Breakfast, #1 B. 8 @9
Clearsides, #1 B. 10 @11
Hams, #1 B. 11 @
Shoulders, #1 B. 8 @
BEANS—#1 B. 20 @
BUTTER—#1 B. 15 @
CHICKENS—Each 20 @
EGGS—#1 dozen 20 @
FLOUR—Limestone, #1 barrel, 5 @50
Old Gold, #1 barrel, 6 @
Maysville Fancy, #1 barrel, 6 @
Mason County, #1 barrel, 6 @
Morning Glory, #1 barrel, 6 @
Roller King, #1 barrel, 6 @
Magnolia, #1 barrel, 6 @
Blue Grass, #1 barrel, 6 @
Graham, #1 sack, 12 @15
ONIONS—#1 pack 25 @
POTATOES—#1 bushel 25 @
HONEY—#1 B. 10 @12 1/2

RESOLUTIONS OF THANKS.

Maysville Commandery No. 10, K. T., Ac-
knowledges the Many Courtesies
Extended During the
Conclave.

At a stated convocation of the Maysville
Commandery No. 10, K. T., held May 23,
1898, the following resolutions were unan-
imously adopted:

Resolved, That the sincere thanks of the com-
mandery be tendered to the pastors and members
of the Methodist Episcopal Church and the Meth-
odist Episcopal Church, South, of Maysville, Ky.,
for the many courtesies shown the Knights Tem-
plar during the session of the Grand Command-
ery of Kentucky.

Resolved, That the interest taken by the citizens
of Maysville, as shown by the handsome decora-
tions on their buildings and tasteful arrange-
ment of stock, calls for warmest praise.

Resolved, That special thanks are tendered to
the ladies and gentlemen who rendered so fault-
lessly the very charming and appropriate music
during the various services of the week and aided
so greatly in making the occasion a perfect suc-
cess, and also to the ladies who so kindly assisted
at the reception and lunches.

Resolved, Further, that the thanks of the com-
mandery are due and are hereby tendered to
Limestone Lodge No. 36, K. of P., for their ele-
gant entertainment given to the Grand Com-
mandery Wednesday evening, May 18, 1898.

Resolved, That the many services and favors
shown to us by our city officials calls for recog-
nition, and they deserve our lasting gratitude for
same. Courteously submitted.

GARRETT S. WALL,
JAMES H. SALLIE,
JAMES W. FITZGERALD, } Committee.

ALTHOUGH a very busy man, Dr. R. V. Pierce, of
Buffalo, N. Y., has found time in which to write
a great book of over a thousand pages entitled,
The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, in
Plain English, or Medicine Simplified. Few
books printed in the English language have
reached so great a sale as has this popular work,
over 600,000 copies having been sold at \$1.50 each.
The profits on this enormous sale having repaid
its author for the great amount of labor and
money expended on its production he has now
decided to give away, absolutely free, 500,000
copies of this valuable book, the recipient only
being required to mail to the World's Dispensary
Medical Association, of Buffalo, N. Y., of
which company he is President, twenty-one (21)
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itable medical library, complete in one volume.
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tions, some of them in colors. The Free Edition
is precisely the same as that sold at \$1.50 except
only that the books are bound in strong manilla
paper covers, instead of cloth. It is not often
that our readers have an opportunity to obtain a
valuable book on such generous terms, and we
predict that few will miss availing themselves of
the unusual and liberal offer to which we have
called their attention.

Feeling of Despondency.

Madrid, May 25.—The same myster-
ious silence still reigns in official cir-
cles. The government discloses nothing
from the seat of war. An unex-
plained feeling of despondency is no-
ticeable. As no bad news has been
made public it is suggested that this
feeling is caused by fears of a pro-
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As executor of Thomas Wells, deceased, I will
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with tenant house, blacksmith stand and large
new tobacco barn. Sale WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1,
1898, at 3 o'clock p. m. One-third cash and bal-
ance in one and two years. Bonds and security
with interest from date. Purchaser takes land-
lord's share of the crops.
16w2d1d GARRETT S. WALL, Executor.

FREMONT PARK.

There are shows, and again there
are others; the others are around.
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show will open at Fremont Park,
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Merry-go-round in operation now. COL. WM. H. FREMONT, Manager.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

MASON CIRCUIT COURT.
The H. Feltman Company, et al., Plaintiffs,
Against James Davis, et al., Defendants.
Equity.

In obedience to a judgment and order of sale
of the Mason Circuit Court, rendered in the above
mentioned cause at the February term, 1898, I
shall, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 4, '98,

at 2 o'clock p. m., on the premises, proceed to
sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on a
credit of six, twelve and eighteen months, the
following real property, to-wit:

The Captain James Davis Farm,

located on the waters of Mill Creek, in Mason
County, Ky., and containing about 430 acres. A
survey and plat of said farm may be seen at the
office of undersigned and will be exhibited at
sale. The farm will be sold in parcels or as a
whole, to suit purchasers and produce the most
money, and full possession given March 10, 1899,
and possession for purpose of seeding next fall.
This is one of the best farms ever offered for
sale in Mason County; is well located; is in
grass except about sixty acres; well watered;
has four residences, fine barns and several other
farm buildings. It is well fenced and the best
producing land in Mason County.

The purchaser must be prepared to promptly
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terest from day of sale until paid.
J. N. KEHOE, Master Commissioner.

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